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1. Before the German capitulation, the Deutsche Kabel-Gesellschaft (DKG) was partially subordinate to the Reichspost and partially to Siemens und Halske. Its head office in Berlin is now under the jurisdiction of the German Economic Commission and its branches in the Soviet Zone are subordinate to the local Oberpostdirektionen, receiving instructions, however, from the IKD headquarters. As far as Berlin itself is concerned, the DKG is, in theory, under the control of the Magistrat, Department for Post and Telephones.
2. At present, the working parties of the DKG in the Soviet Zone are principally occupied in dismantling, renovating, and relaying (not always in the same stretches) some 5,000 km. of cables on the instructions of the DDK. About twenty construction offices are participating in this work.
3. The following are at present the chief commitments of the DKG:
  - a. The dismantling of the cables in and around the Jüterbog training area.
  - b. The overhaul and repair of the direct Karlshorst-Prague-Moscow telephone cable (which incorporates Goering's former Berlin-Prague line).
  - c. Dismantling at Lübau near Dresden, Saalfeld (J-53), and Prerow (P-36).
  - d. Removal of all important lines in the Soviet Sector of Berlin. All lines and exchanges going through Berlin are to be dismantled and lines are to be laid instead around Berlin, e.g. direct Karlshorst-Potsdam and Potsdam-Storkow-Karlshorst-Schönfeld lines.

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